Please Amend Claims 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 12 and 13 as follows:

 (Currently Amended) An active matrix display device comprising:

a pair of substrates;

an optical modulation layer lying between the substrates; a plurality of pixel electrodes provided on one of the substrates; switching elements for driving the respective pixel electrodes,

provided in the vicinity of the pixel electrodes; and

one of a reflective er-and transflective reflecting layer formed on at least one substrate more distant from a viewer side than the one of the substrates on which the pixel electrodes are provided,

wherein the reflecting layer has asymmetrical reflection properties.

- 2. (Currently Amended) An active matrix display device according to Claim 1, the wherein a cross section of the reflecting layer has a corrugated surface whose phase from the a light-entering direction to the a light-receiving direction has asymmetrical curvatures with respect to the a normal to the substrate.
- 3. (Currently Amended) An active matrix display device according to Claim 1, wherein a curve of the <u>a</u> cross section of the reflecting layer comprises two curves having different curvatures from each other.
- 4. (Currently Amended) An active matrix display device according to Claim 3, wherein the a maximum tilt angle of the curvatures is 30°.
- 5. (Original) An active matrix display device according to Claim 1, wherein the switching elements each comprise a thin film transistor.
- 6. (Original) An active matrix display device according to Claim 5, wherein the switching elements each have an inverted-staggered shape.

- 7. (Original) An active matrix display device according to Claim 1, further comprising a color filter, wherein the switching elements are provided on one substrate closer to the viewer side, and a color filter is provided on the other substrate.
- 8. (Currently Amended) An active matrix display device according to Claim 1, further comprising a color filter, wherein the switching elements and the color filter are provided on <u>the</u> one substrate more distant from the viewer side.
- 9. (Original) An active matrix display device according to Claim 1, wherein the pixel electrodes double as the reflecting layer and each have a corrugated surface having asymmetrical curvatures.
- 10. (Original) An active matrix display device according to Claim 9, further comprising an insulating layer covering the switching elements, the insulating layer having a corrugated surface having asymmetrical curvatures, and the pixel electrodes are formed along the corrugated surface so as to provide a corrugated surface having asymmetrical curvatures in the pixel electrodes.
- 11. (Original) An active matrix display device according to Claim 10, wherein the insulating layer has contact holes in which conducting portions are formed, and the pixel electrodes and the respective switching elements are connected to each other with the conducting portions.
- 12. (Currently Amended) An active matrix display device according to Claim 1, wherein the switching elements are each nonlinear two-terminal element elements.
- 13. (Currently Amended) An active matrix display device according to Claim 2, further comprising an insulating layer underlying the reflecting layer, the insulating layer is provided with a corrugated surface by stamping, wherein the corrugated surface of the reflecting layer is formed using the corrugated surface in the insulating layer.